

Patent
Attorney's Docket No. 003300-723

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of)	
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Lars A. HANSON <i>et al.</i>)	Group Art Unit: 1653
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Application No.: 09/743,107)	Examiner: Chih Min Kam
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Filed: August 21, 2001)	Confirmation No.: 5780
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For: PEPTIDES BASED ON THE)	VIA FACSIMILE: (703) 746-5038
SEQUENCE OF HUMAN)	
LACTOFERRIN AND THEIR USE)	

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed is an Official Communication for the above-identified patent application.

- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.
- ☐ A Terminal Disclaimer and a check for ☐ \$55.00 (2814) ☐ \$110.00 (1814) to cover the requisite Government fee are also enclosed.
- ☐ Also enclosed is _____.
- ☐ Small entity status is hereby claimed.
- ☐ Applicant(s) request continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the ☐ \$375.00 (2801) ☐ \$750.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).
- ☐ Applicant(s) previously submitted __, on __, for which continued examination is requested.
- ☐ Applicant(s) request suspension of action by the Office until at least __, which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.
- ☐ A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (146/246) is also enclosed.
- ☒ No additional claim fee is required.

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☐ An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

AMENDED CLAIMS					
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Total Claims		MINUS =		× \$18.00 (1202) =	
Independent Claims		MINUS =		× \$84.00 (1201) =	
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$280.00 (1203)					
Total Amendment Fee					
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☐ A claim fee in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.

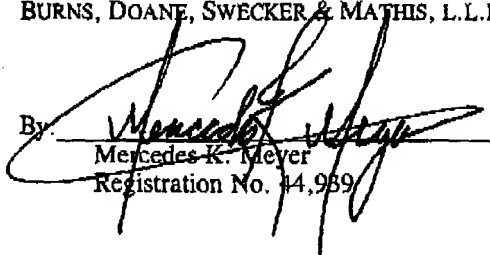
☐ Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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Sir:

A Non-Responsive Letter was sent on January 28, 2003. When we contacted the Examiner in the above-listed application, we were notified that this Letter from the Patent and Trademark Office was sent in error. This was reconfirmed when we discussed the status of the application and the responses necessary with Examiners Christopher Low and Chih Min Kam. Applicants were told that no response to the Letter dated January 28, 2003 was necessary.

This morning Examiner Kam contacted the undersigned and informed us that for the record a communication memorializing these events was necessary. As agreed between the undersigned attorney and the Examiner handling this case, the Letter sent on January 28, 2003 was sent in error and Applicants are not under a duty to respond to this paper. Applicants are merely submitting this Official Communication to clarify the record. This

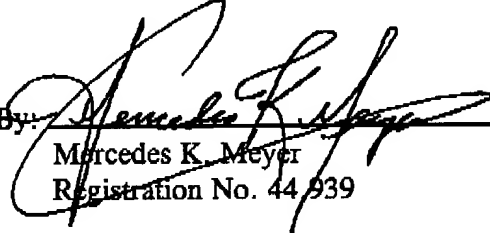
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In the event anything further is required from Applicants, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney at her earliest convenience.

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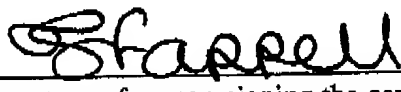
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